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In re application of:) August 19, 2002
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Robert D. Bateman)
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Serial No.: 09/609,567) Group Art Unit: 2186
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Filed: June 30, 2000) Examiner: T. Thai

For: **CACHE HAVING A PRIORITIZE REPLACEMENT TECHNIQUE AND METHOD THEREFOR**

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RESPONSE

HONORABLE DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE,
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, please reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the remarks. Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for his efforts in identifying issues with this application and for granting the Examiner's interview on August 14, 2002.

Applicant believes the following is a complete response to the issues raised by the Examiner and that the following comments place the application into condition for allowance.